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Atty. Dkt. No. K01-002
(formerly 0013.US00)**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Gruber et al.

Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR
SOLICITING CHARITABLE
DONATION DURING
ELECTRONIC COMMERCE

Appl. No.: 09/782,722

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Examiner: S. E. CHENCINSKI

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 is granted); (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. §141, or the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. §145 or §146 (unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114: (check items that apply)

a. Previously submitted:

☒ Please enter and consider the amendment/reply previously filed on April 13, 2006.

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b. Enclosed are:

☒ Copy of Amendment/Reply previously filed on April 13, 2006.

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RCE Fee 1.17(e):				\$790.00	= \$790.00
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Independent Claims	2	- 5	= 0	x \$200.00	= \$0.00
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Respectfully submitted,

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